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First Named Inventor	Weijun Tong	Group Art Unit:	1732
Appln. No.	10/802,660	Examiner:	Unknown
Filing Date	March 17, 2004		
Title	Method for Manufacturing Low PMD Single-Mode Fiber and Optical Fiber Manufactured by the Same		

**DECLARATION FOR UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION  
(37 C.F.R. § 1.63)**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that my mailing address and citizenship are as stated below.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter that is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

Method for Manufacturing Low PMD Single-Mode Fiber and Optical Fiber Manufactured by the Same

the specification of which:

is attached hereto OR

was filed on March 17, 2004 as United States Application Number 10/802,660 or PCT International Application Number \_\_\_\_\_ and amended on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information known to me that is material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application Number(s)	Country	Foreign Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Priority Not Claimed	Certified Copy Attached? Yes	Certified Copy Attached? No
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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

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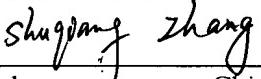
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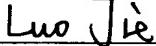
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**Yangtze Optical Fibre and Cable Co. Ltd.**, a Chinese corporation, is an owner of the patent application identified above by virtue of either:

1.  An assignment from the inventor(s) of the patent application identified above, a copy of which is attached.

OR

2.  A chain of title from the inventor(s), of the patent application identified above, to the current assignee as shown below:
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<b>ASSIGNMENT</b> [Entity]	Attorney Docket No.: 34125/US	Page 1 of 2
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WHEREAS, I, Weijun Tong, residing in Wuhan, China, I, Zhenbao He, residing in Wuhan, China, I, Shuqiang Zhang, residing in Wuhan, China and I, Jie Luo, residing in Wuhan, China, have invented certain new and useful improvements as described in an application entitled **Method for Manufacturing Low PMD Single-Mode Fiber and Optical Fiber Manufactured by the Same** for Letters Patent of the United States, the application having been executed on even date herewith and/or being identified in the United States Patent and Trademark Office by Application No. 10/802,660 filed March 17, 2004; and

WHEREAS, Yangtze Optical Fibre and Cable Co. Ltd., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of China, and having offices at 4# Guanshan Er Road, Wuhan, Hubei Province, China ("Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, the application, and any and all Letters Patent or similar legal protection, foreign or domestic, to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged, I transfer to Assignee, its successors and assigns, my entire right, title, and interest in and to the invention, the above-identified patent application, corresponding domestic applications (including divisionals, continuations, and continuations-in-part), corresponding foreign applications, all Letters Patent or similar legal protection issuing thereon, and all rights and benefits under any applicable treaty or convention; and I authorize the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States or foreign equivalent thereof to issue the Letters Patent or similar legal protection to the Assignee.

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